

VOTING IN THE STATE OF WASHINGTON

Voter Qualifications

To register to vote you must be:

- A citizen of the United States
- A legal resident of Washington state
- At least 18 years old by election day
- Not currently denied civil rights as a result of being convicted of a felony.

In Washington, you do not have to declare political party membership when you register to vote.

Registration Deadlines

While you may register to vote at any time, keep in mind that there are registration deadlines prior to each election. You must be registered at least **30 days** before an election if you register by mail or through the Motor Voter program. You may register **in person**, at the office of your county auditor or election department, up to 15 days before an election. However, you must vote by absentee ballot for that particular election.

How to Register

Complete a voter registration form and put it in the mail. Forms are available from King County Records and Elections, public libraries, schools, other government offices or the Internet.

Keep Your Voter Registration Up-to-date

If your voter registration record does not contain your *current* name or address, you may not be able to vote. You can use the mail-in voter registration form to let your county auditor or election department know when you move or change your name.

Absentee Ballots

Absentee ballot requests must be made to your county auditor or election department (not the Secretary of State). No absentee ballots are issued on election day except to residents of healthcare facilities. You may request a ballot by phone, fax or mail as early as 45 days before an election. You may also apply **in writing** to automatically receive an absentee ballot before each election. You can find an absentee ballot request form on the back page of this pamphlet. ***If you have already requested an absentee ballot or have a permanent request for a ballot on file, please do not submit another application.***

Once you receive your absentee or mail-in ballot, vote it. **Please do not** attempt to vote at the poll site. Absentee and mail-in ballots must be signed and postmarked or delivered to your county auditor or election department **on or before** election day.

Election Date and Poll Hours

This special election is February 5, 2002. Polling place hours for all elections are 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

Services and Additional Assistance

Contact King County Records and Elections for help with voting your ballot, finding your polling location or an alternate voter pamphlet format.

By Phone - 206.296.8683 or TTD 206.296.0109

By Mail - King County Records and Elections, 553 King County Administration Building,
500 4th Avenue, Seattle, WA 98104

Via Internet - <http://www.metrokc.gov/elections/>

NOTICE OF ELECTIONS

Following is a list of **ALL** ballot measures included in the February 5, 2002 special election. The following measures **DO NOT** apply to all voters. Voters must live in the district in order to vote on the measure. King County Library District, Riverview School District No. 407, Fife School District No. 417 and Vashon-Maury Island Park & Recreation District have chosen to include additional measure information which begins on page 8.

KING COUNTY LIBRARY DISTRICT **PROPOSITION NO. 1**

KING COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM MAINTENANCE & OPERATION LEVY

The Board of Directors of the King County Rural Library District adopted Resolution No. 2001-22 proposing to restore its regular levy rate to \$0.50 per thousand dollars of assessed value upon all the taxable property within the District in 2002 for collection in 2003, thus increasing its regular property tax levy in excess of the limit factor provided for in RCW 84.55.0101, in order to provide continued funding for the normal operation and maintenance of the King County library system. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

FEDERAL WAY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 210 **PROPOSITION NO. 1**

REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING SCHOOL MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION LEVY

To meet the educational needs of students in the Federal Way School District No. 210, the Federal Way School District No. 210 proposes to levy on all taxable property within the District the following excess taxes for the purpose of replacing an expiring levy for essential educational General Fund expenses including instruction, safety and security, maintenance and operation expenses as specified in District Resolution No. 2001-76:

Collection Year	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$2.97	\$24,100,000
2004	\$2.97	\$25,300,000

Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

ENUMCLAW SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 216 **PROPOSITION NO. 1**

REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING

SCHOOL MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS LEVY

The Board of Directors of Enumclaw School District No. 216 adopted Resolution No. 827, concerning a proposition to finance maintenance and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to meet the educational needs of students by levying the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's General Fund maintenance and operation expenses:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$3.14	\$6,324,200
2004	\$3.14	\$6,513,900
2005	\$3.14	\$6,709,300
2006	\$3.14	\$6,910,600

all as provided in Resolution No. 827. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

ENUMCLAW SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 216 **PROPOSITION NO. 2**

SCHOOL HEALTH, SAFETY AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS LEVY

The Board of Directors of Enumclaw School District No. 216 adopted Resolution No. 828, concerning a proposition to finance modernization of existing school facilities. This proposition would authorize the District to acquire, construct and install energy efficiency, health, safety and technology improvements to existing schools and levy the following excess taxes on all taxable property within the District:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$0.94	\$1,900,000
2004	\$0.92	\$1,900,000
2005	\$0.89	\$1,900,000
2006	\$0.86	\$1,900,000
2007	\$0.83	\$1,900,000
2008	\$0.81	\$1,900,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 828. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

MERCER ISLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 400 **PROPOSITION NO. 1 - REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM AND SERVICES LEVY**

The Board of Directors of Mercer Island School District No. 400 approved Resolution No. 478 concerning a proposition for a replacement levy for education. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, to maintain current educational program funding levels and support the District's educational programs, student services and operations:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$1.27	\$7,200,000
2004	\$1.34	\$7,600,000
2005	\$1.41	\$8,000,000
2006	\$1.55	\$8,800,000

all as provided in District Resolution No. 478. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

MERCER ISLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 400 **PROPOSITION NO. 2**

SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION LEVY

The Board of Directors of Mercer Island School District No. 400 approved Resolution No. 479 concerning a proposition for school buses. This proposition would authorize the District to purchase school buses and levy the following excess taxes on all taxable property within the District:

Collection Year	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$0.15	\$850,000

all as provided in District Resolution No. 479. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

VASHON ISLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 402**PROPOSITION NO. 1****SCHOOL MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS LEVY**

Shall the following excess taxes for maintenance and operations purposes be levied for the Vashon Island School District's General Fund upon all taxable property within the District:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$1.53	\$2,375,000
2004	\$1.53	\$2,500,000
2005	\$1.53	\$2,625,000
2006	\$1.61	\$2,900,000

all as provided in School Board Resolution No. 458?

APPROVED REJECTED

RENTON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 403**PROPOSITION NO. 1****REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING EDUCATIONAL MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS LEVY**

The Board of Directors of the Renton School District adopted Resolution No. 7-01/02 concerning educational funding. This proposition authorizes the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, upon all taxable property within the District, to support the District's educational maintenance and operations:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$1.73	\$17,500,000
2004	\$1.72	\$18,000,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 7-01/02. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

RENTON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 403**PROPOSITION NO. 2****SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION AND SAFETY****GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS - \$150,000,000**

The Board of Directors of the Renton School District No. 403 adopted Resolution No. 10-01/02 concerning this proposition. The proposition authorizes the District to construct and equip new facilities, make technology upgrades, modernize existing facilities, including safety and energy conservation upgrades and make other capital improvements, issue \$150,000,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within a maximum of 20 years, and levy additional property taxes annually to repay the bonds, as provided in Resolution No. 10-01/02. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

BELLEVUE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 405**PROPOSITION NO. 1****REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS AND OPERATIONS LEVY**

The Board of Directors of Bellevue School District No. 405 passed Resolution No. 01-21 concerning this proposition to maintain current educational funding. This proposition would authorize the District to continue funding students' educational needs at the current level by levying the following excess taxes to replace an expiring levy on all taxable property within the District, for essential operating and maintenance expenses:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$1.11	\$26,300,000
2004	\$1.13	\$28,000,000
2005	\$1.17	\$29,400,000
2006	\$1.19	\$31,100,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 01-21. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

BELLEVUE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 405**PROPOSITION NO. 2****BUILDING FOR THE FUTURE PROGRAM****GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS - \$324,000,000**

The Board of Directors of Bellevue School District No. 405 passed Resolution No. 01-22 concerning this proposition to continue to make long-term improvements in schools and facilities. To construct, equip, and install capital improvements to the District's educational facilities and make other necessary capital improvements as part of the Building for the Future Program, the Bellevue School District No. 405 shall issue \$324,000,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within a maximum of 20 years, and levy additional property taxes annually to repay the bonds, as provided in Resolution No. 01-22. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

BELLEVUE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 405**PROPOSITION NO. 3****TECHNOLOGY AND CAPITAL PROJECTS LEVY**

The Board of Directors of Bellevue School District No. 405 passed Resolution No. 01-23 concerning this proposition. This proposition would authorize the District to levy funds to continue funding instructional technology modernization, acquisition, installation and management, related technology infrastructure, and equipment purchases and the construction of selected facility improvements, and authorizes the following excess levies on all taxable property within the District:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$0.04	\$1,000,000
2004	\$0.45	\$11,000,000
2005	\$0.40	\$10,000,000
2006	\$0.11	\$3,000,000
2007	\$0.11	\$3,000,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 01-23. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

TUKWILA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 406**PROPOSITION NO. 1 - REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING SCHOOL PROGRAM LEVY**

The Board of Directors of Tukwila School District No. 406 adopted Resolution No. 679, concerning a proposition to finance current programs. This proposition would authorize the District to meet the educational needs of students by levying excess taxes for teaching, school supplies, technology, athletics and busing, in place of an expiring levy on all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's General Fund, maintenance and operation expenses:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$2.66	\$4,823,166
2004	\$2.71	\$5,102,910

as specified in Resolution No. 679. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

RIVERVIEW SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 407
PROPOSITION NO. 1

REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION LEVY

The Board of Directors of Riverview School District No. 407 adopted Resolution No. 01-13 concerning this proposition. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, upon all taxable property within the District, to maintain current educational program funding levels and support the District's educational programs, student services and operations:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$2.01	\$3,930,000
2004	\$1.98	\$4,245,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 01-13. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

RIVERVIEW SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 407
PROPOSITION NO. 2

TRANSPORTATION VEHICLE FUND LEVY

The Board of Directors of Riverview School District No. 407 approved Resolution No. 01-14 concerning this proposition for school buses. This proposition would authorize the District to purchase school buses and vehicle maintenance equipment and levy the following excess taxes upon all taxable property within the District:

Collection Year	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$0.11	\$216,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 01-14. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

AUBURN SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 408
PROPOSITION NO. 1

REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM AND OPERATIONS LEVY

The Board of Directors adopted Resolution No. 1005 concerning educational funding. This proposition authorizes the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, to support the District's General Fund educational program and operation expenses:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$2.90	\$16,900,000
2004	\$2.83	\$17,500,000

all as provided in District Resolution No. 1005. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

AUBURN SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 408
PROPOSITION NO. 2
SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT BONDS - \$54,000,000

The Board of Directors of Auburn School District No. 408 adopted Resolution No. 1006 concerning the construction of a new high school. This proposition authorizes the District to construct and equip a new high school, acquire new school sites and modular classrooms and make capital improvements to other District facilities, issue \$54,000,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within a

maximum term of 20 years, and levy additional property taxes annually to repay the bonds, as provided in District Resolution No. 1006. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

TAHOMA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
PROPOSITION NO. 1

REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION LEVY

The Board of Directors of Tahoma School District No. 409 adopted Resolution No. 2001-17, concerning a proposition to finance maintenance and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to meet the educational needs of its students by levying the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's General Fund maintenance and operation expenses:

Collection Year	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$3.00	\$7,830,000
2004	\$3.01	\$8,250,000
2005	\$3.08	\$8,850,000
2006	\$3.10	\$9,380,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 2001-17. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

TAHOMA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 409
PROPOSITION NO. 2

TRANSPORTATION VEHICLE FUND LEVY FOR SCHOOL BUSES

The Board of Directors of Tahoma School District No. 409 adopted Resolution No. 2001-19, concerning a proposition to finance school buses. This proposition would authorize the District to purchase school buses and levy the following excess taxes on all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's Transportation Vehicle Fund:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$0.29	\$750,000
2004	\$0.27	\$750,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 2001-19. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

SNOQUALMIE VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 410
PROPOSITION NO. 1

REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM AND SERVICES LEVY

The Board of Directors of Snoqualmie Valley School District No. 410 adopted Resolution No. 636 concerning a proposition for a replacement levy for education. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, upon all taxable property within the District, to maintain current educational program funding levels and support the District's educational programs, student services and operations:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$1.68	\$6,000,000
2004	\$1.64	\$6,200,000
2005	\$1.62	\$6,500,000
2006	\$1.58	\$6,700,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 636. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

SNOQUALMIE VALLEY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 410**PROPOSITION NO. 2
REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING
SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION LEVY**

The Board of Directors of Snoqualmie Valley School District No. 410 approved Resolution No. 637 concerning this proposition for school buses. This proposition would authorize the District to purchase school buses and levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, upon all taxable property within the District:

Collection Year	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$0.28	\$1,000,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 637. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

ISSAQUAH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 411**PROPOSITION NO. 1
REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING
SCHOOL MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS LEVY**

The Board of Directors of Issaquah School District approved a replacement levy for education. This replacement levy funds district education programs and school operations, and authorizes the following excess levies on all taxable property within the District:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$1.69	\$18,780,000
2004	\$1.73	\$20,040,000
2005	\$1.77	\$21,250,000
2006	\$1.85	\$23,200,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 807. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

ISSAQUAH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 411**PROPOSITION NO. 2
SCHOOL CAPITAL PROJECTS LEVY**

The Board of Directors of Issaquah School District approved a levy for technology/modernization. This levy funds education technology, school remodeling and updating of educational facilities, and authorizes the following excess levies on all taxable property within the District:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$0.33	\$3,650,000
2004	\$0.38	\$4,400,000
2005	\$0.41	\$4,840,000
2006	\$0.30	\$3,725,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 808. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

ISSAQUAH SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 411**PROPOSITION NO. 3
SCHOOL BUS PURCHASE AND
REPLACEMENT LEVY**

The Board of Directors of Issaquah School District approved a levy for school buses. This levy funds new and replacement school buses and authorizes the following excess levies on all taxable property within the District:

Collection Year	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$0.16	\$1,800,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 809. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

SHORELINE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 412 is also having an election. Information on the measure was not available at press time.

LAKE WASHINGTON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 414**PROPOSITION NO. 1
REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING
EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM, MAINTENANCE AND
OPERATION LEVY**

The Board of Directors of Lake Washington School District approved a proposition for replacement levies for education. This proposition authorizes the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, to support the District's educational programs, maintenance and operations:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$1.43	\$31,300,000
2004	\$1.41	\$31,800,000
2005	\$1.44	\$33,600,000
2006	\$1.43	\$34,200,000

all as provided in District Resolution No. 1857. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

LAKE WASHINGTON SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 414**PROPOSITION NO. 2
FACILITIES AND TECHNOLOGY CAPITAL
PROJECTS LEVY**

The Board of Directors of Lake Washington School District approved a proposition for educational facilities and technology levies. This proposition authorizes the modernization of District facilities, including education technology, software and training; building and site improvements; and authorizes the following excess levies for such purposes on all taxable property within the District:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$0.54	\$11,900,000
2004	\$0.53	\$11,900,000
2005	\$0.51	\$11,900,000
2006	\$0.50	\$11,900,000

all as provided in District Resolution No. 1858. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

KENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 415

**PROPOSITION NO. 1
REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING
EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM AND OPERATIONS LEVY**
The Board of Directors of Kent School District No. 415 adopted Resolution No. 1084, concerning a proposition to finance educational programs and operation expenses. This proposition would authorize the District to replace an expiring levy and to levy the following excess taxes on all taxable property within the District, for support of the District's General Fund educational programs and operation expenses:

Levy Year	Collection Year	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2002	2003	\$2.89	\$35,104,000
2003	2004	\$2.80	\$35,460,000
2004	2005	\$2.84	\$37,789,000
2005	2006	\$2.85	\$39,757,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 1084. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

KENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 415
PROPOSITION NO. 2
SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION AND SAFETY
GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS
SERIES 2002 - \$69,500,000

The Board of Directors of Kent School District No. 415 adopted Resolution No. 1085, concerning a proposition to finance capital improvements to its education facilities. This proposition would authorize the District to pay the costs of constructing capital improvements to outdated classrooms and other educational facilities, additions to two senior high schools and safety improvements to elementary playgrounds and other facilities; to issue \$69,500,000 of general obligation bonds maturing within a maximum term of 20 years; and to levy annual excess property tax levies to pay and retire such bonds, all as provided in Resolution No. 1085. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

NORTHSHORE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 417
PROPOSITION NO. 1
REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING
SCHOOL MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS LEVY

The Board of Directors of the Northshore School District adopted Resolution No. 415 supporting educational maintenance levies. To meet educational needs of students and support District educational maintenance and operation expenses, this proposition authorizes the District to levy the following taxes, in excess of regular tax levies, in place of an expiring levy, upon all taxable property within the District:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$2.51	\$29,500,000
2004	\$2.59	\$31,500,000
2005	\$2.74	\$34,500,000
2006	\$2.80	\$36,500,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 415. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

NORTHSHORE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 417
PROPOSITION NO. 2
SCHOOL TECHNOLOGY LEVY

The Board of Directors of the Northshore School District adopted Resolution No. 416 supporting technology levies. In order to improve availability of telecommunications and computer technology for students and staff, the District shall levy the following taxes in excess of regular tax levies, and in place of an expiring levy, upon all taxable property within the District:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$0.30	\$3,500,000
2004	\$0.29	\$3,500,000
2005	\$0.28	\$3,500,000
2006	\$0.27	\$3,500,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 416. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

NORTHSHORE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 417
PROPOSITION NO. 3
SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT AND
MAINTENANCE BONDS - \$98,000,000

The Board of Directors of the Northshore School District adopted a General Obligation Bond resolution. This proposition authorizes the District to modernize schools and fields, construct and equip additional classroom space, acquire sites, construct and equip an administrative facility, provide technology equipment and systems, make necessary capital improvements, issue \$98,000,000 of general obligation bonds, maturing within a maximum of 20 years, and levy additional property taxes annually to repay the bonds, as provided in Resolution No. 417. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

FIFE SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 417
PROPOSITION NO. 1
FIFE SCHOOLS PROGRAM AND FACILITIES
OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE LEVY

The Board of Directors of Fife School District No. 417 approved a proposition for educational levies. This proposition provides for the support of educational programs, facilities maintenance and operations by authorizing the levy of the following excess taxes, to replace an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, as specified in District Resolution No. 01-15:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate/\$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$2.35	\$4,350,000
2004	\$2.34	\$4,600,000
2005	\$2.33	\$4,850,000
2006	\$2.35	\$5,200,000

Should this proposition be approved?

YES NO

VASHON-MAURY PARK AND RECREATION DISTRICT
PROPOSITION NO. 1

REGULAR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION LEVY

For maintenance and operation of park and recreation facilities of Vashon-Maury Park and Recreation District, shall the District be authorized to impose regular property tax levies of \$0.45 or less per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for four years commencing in 2002, for collection in the years 2003 through 2006, all as provided in District Resolution No. 01-84?

LEVY, YES
LEVY, NO



King County Library District Proposition No. 1

BALLOT TITLE

PROPOSITION NO. 1 KING COUNTY LIBRARY SYSTEM MAINTENANCE & OPERATION LEVY

The Board of Directors of the King County Rural Library District adopted Resolution No. 2001-22 proposing to restore its regular levy rate to \$0.50 per thousand dollars of assessed value upon all the taxable property within the District in 2002 for collection in 2003, thus increasing its regular property tax levy in excess of the limit factor provided for in RCW 84.55.0101, in order to provide continued funding for the normal operation and maintenance of the King County library system. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

Explanatory Statement

This proposition will authorize the Library District to *restore* its 2002 property tax levy rate to \$.50 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation, for collection in 2003. This proposition is presented to provide voters the opportunity to exceed the limitation imposed by Initiative 747, which limits total property tax revenue to 101% of the previous year's revenue, regardless of the authorized dollar rate limitation of \$.50.

Approval of this proposition would allow the preservation of the current level of services, programs, resources, and building maintenance and repair at all 42 local community libraries.

Rejection of this proposition would lead to the Library District's revenue in 2003 being scaled back \$5.8 million from its pre-Initiative 747 level of support, necessitating cutbacks in library services, staffing and open hours, programming, acquisitions, and maintenance and repairs throughout the District.

Statement for

Our 42 King County libraries are used more today than ever. Budget losses from I-747 will reduce access unless we restore the library's funding.

Library Services Help Students Succeed

In addition to books and materials available to adults, the library offers multiple services to help parents and teachers prepare students. Services include special knowledge banks, "Ask a Librarian" and "Homework Help" online, special web pages for kids and teens, and early childhood reading programs.

Loss of Funds Will Hurt Library Service

The library works carefully to stay within budget and keep up with growth. The loss of property tax funding will require that existing services be reduced including books, open hours, computers, and maintenance.

Restored Funding to Begin in 2003

Voting 'approved' restores funding limits in place before I-747. For a \$200,000 home, this means restoring \$8.80 in property taxes beginning in 2003. It allows the library to adjust for inflation and provide services used by 72% of King County adults.

Library Use is Up!

This year, items checked out increased by 10%, up to 14 million. Website visits increased 80%, to 18 million. These funds will allow us to maintain services needed by our families and our communities.

Rebuttal of statement against

As a great American democratic institution, libraries provide free, open and equal access to books and information resources, supporting First Amendment rights of all people.

Libraries play an essential role as providers of online information, ensuring all people have access to this valuable resource.

The Internet opens the door to a world of information. KCLS respects parents' authority to guide their child's learning, and offers a method for parents to determine their level of access.

STATEMENT PREPARED BY: Miguel Llanos, Betty Rae Green, Mark W. Berry

Statement against

Refuse To Allow Your Tax Dollars To Support Access To Illegal & Dangerous Materials

Reject this year's King County Library levy increase. We believe our public libraries should only be supported as places of learning and enlightenment; not as subsidized adult peep shows. Turning down this property tax increase, which is 50 cents per \$1,000 of assessed valuation, will create a funding crisis for the library system. This crisis will help us push our library board trustees to do three things: filter all library Internet computer terminals, enact a policy prohibiting the viewing of pornography on tax funded computers and prohibit all taxpayer contributions to the American Library Association.

Many citizens would be shocked to learn that the library system, including the American Library Association, supports minors being exposed to Internet pornography. Not only is this wrong, but it's amazing that they would dare to ask for you to contribute when they are not being responsive to you as taxpayers.

After the board complies with these policies we will join them in supporting the next levy.

See www.safepac.org for more information.

Rebuttal of statement for

KCLS is not accountable to taxpayers. The library board is not elected. **Policies allowing minors access to porn continue.** Budgets are not subject to scrutiny.

An 80% Internet increase indicates an increase in porn viewing. KCLS does not reveal the number of porn sites visited. Analysis of other area libraries indicates minimally 4%, or for KCLS **720,000 porn sites visited. Privacy screens hide the problem.**

Vote no on Proposition 1.

STATEMENT PREPARED BY: Heidi Borton, Pat Means, Dan Anderson

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Riverview School District No. 407



BALLOT TITLE

PROPOSITION NO. 1

REPLACEMENT OF EXPIRING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION LEVY

The Board of Directors of Riverview School District No. 407 adopted Resolution No. 01-13 concerning this proposition. This proposition would authorize the District to levy the following excess taxes, in place of an expiring levy, upon all taxable property within the District, to maintain current educational program funding levels and support the District's educational programs, student services and operations:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$2.01	\$3,930,000
2004	\$1.98	\$4,245,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 01-13. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

Proposition No. 1

Explanatory Statement

Passage of Proposition No. 1 would allow the levy of \$3,930,000 in property taxes within Riverview School District for collection in 2003, and the levy of \$4,245,000 in taxes for collection in 2004. In accordance with Resolution No. 01-13 approving this proposition, these taxes would be deposited in the Riverview School District's General Fund to pay part of the general expenses of operating the District's programs. General expenses of the District include employee costs (such as salaries), instructional materials, special programs, activities and sports, technology systems operation, transportation costs, maintenance of facilities and other non-capital expenses of operating the District schools. If authorized by the voters, such property taxes would be collected at a rate estimated to be \$2.01 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in 2003, and \$1.98 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in 2004.

Statement for

NO STATEMENT SUBMITTED.

Statement against

NO STATEMENT SUBMITTED.

BALLOT TITLE

PROPOSITION NO. 2

TRANSPORTATION VEHICLE FUND LEVY

The Board of Directors of Riverview School District No. 407 approved Resolution No. 01-14 concerning this proposition for school buses. This proposition would authorize the District to purchase school buses and vehicle maintenance equipment and levy the following excess taxes upon all taxable property within the District:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate per \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$0.11	\$216,000

all as provided in Resolution No. 01-14. Should this proposition be:

APPROVED REJECTED

Proposition No. 2

Explanatory Statement

Passage of Proposition No. 2 would allow the levy of \$216,000 in property taxes within Riverview School District for collection in 2003. In accordance with Resolution No. 01-14 approving this proposition, these taxes would be deposited in the Riverview School District's Transportation Vehicle Fund to pay for the purchase of two school buses and the purchase of vehicle maintenance equipment to meet projected student enrollment and allow for the retirement of older and more costly-to-operate buses. If authorized by the voters, such property taxes would be collected at a rate estimated to be \$0.11 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in 2003.

Statement for

NO STATEMENT SUBMITTED.

Statement against

NO STATEMENT SUBMITTED.



Fife School District No. 417

Proposition No. 1

BALLOT TITLE

PROPOSITION NO. 1 FIFE SCHOOLS PROGRAM AND FACILITIES OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE LEVY

The Board of Directors of Fife School District No. 417 approved a proposition for educational levies. This proposition provides for the support of educational programs, facilities maintenance and operations by authorizing the levy of the following excess taxes, to replace an expiring levy, on all taxable property within the District, as specified in District Resolution No. 01-15:

Collection Years	Approximate Levy Rate/ \$1,000 Assessed Value	Levy Amount
2003	\$2.35	\$4,350,000
2004	\$2.34	\$4,600,000
2005	\$2.33	\$4,850,000
2006	\$2.35	\$5,200,000

Should this proposition be approved?

YES NO

Explanatory Statement

Passage of Proposition No. 1 would allow the levy of \$4,350,000 in property taxes within Fife School District for collection in 2003, the levy of \$4,600,000 in taxes for collection in 2004, the levy of \$4,850,000 in taxes for collection in 2005 and the levy of \$5,200,000 in taxes for collection in 2006. In accordance with Resolution No. 01-15 approving this proposition, these taxes would be deposited in the Fife School District's General Fund to pay part of the general expenses of operating the District. General expenses of the District include employee costs (such as salaries), instructional materials, special programs, activities and sports, technology systems operation, transportation costs, maintenance of facilities and other non-capital expenses of operating the District schools. If authorized by the voters, such property taxes would be collected at a rate estimated to be \$2.35 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in 2003, \$2.34 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in 2004, \$2.33 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in 2005 and \$2.35 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in 2006.

Statement for

Replacement Levy Maintains Quality in Fife-Milton Schools

Your yes vote continues Fife-Milton's reputation for quality education in safe schools. On February 5th Fife-Milton's schools ask for your on-going support to pass the **replacement** maintenance and operations levy.

School District Reputation = Growth

Our children's future calls for a passing levy vote to keep pace with the addition of two new schools to the district, a growth of 20% and the need to enhance property values while maintaining outstanding schools.

Our Children Are Counting On Your Yes Vote

The levy passage keeps our most valuable resources intact including: quality teachers and support staff, learning in small classroom sizes, maintaining educational programs and purchase of textbooks, continuation of co-curricular activities, i.e. music, drama and sports, bus transportation services and technology.

Keep Fife-Milton A Desirable Place To Live

Your yes vote allows students and the community to benefit from high educational standards. Compared to neighboring districts our current and proposed levy tax-rate is the lowest. Support our children and keep our investment intact by voting yes for this **replacement** tax.

Statement against

NO STATEMENT SUBMITTED.

STATEMENT PREPARED BY: Terry Sylvestrin, Kathy Long

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Vashon-Maury Island Park & Recreation District - Proposition No. 1



BALLOT TITLE

Explanatory Statement

PROPOSITION NO. 1

REGULAR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION LEVY

For maintenance and operation of park and recreation facilities of Vashon-Maury Park and Recreation District, shall the District be authorized to impose regular property tax levies of \$0.45 or less per \$1,000 of assessed valuation for four years commencing in 2002, for collection in the years 2003 through 2006, all as provided in District Resolution No. 01-84?

LEVY, YES

LEVY, NO

Passage of Proposition No. 1 would allow Vashon-Maury Park and Recreation District to collect property taxes at a rate of not to exceed \$.45 per \$1,000 of assessed valuation in the years 2003 through 2006, as described in Resolution No. 01-84 of the District's Board of Commissioners. If authorized by the voters, such taxes would be used to pay for the maintenance and operation of park and recreation facilities and programs of the District.

Statement for

We Islanders are an independent bunch. We get things done by working together. We make the seemingly impossible possible. In 1983, when the federal government gave up the old Nike site, we said, "we'll take it." We formed a park district and taxed ourselves, creating Paradise Ridge Park. In 1996 when King County opted to cut their park budget by closing Ober Park and cutting their maintenance for other parks, we said, "we'll take them." We raised our small park levy. Today our local parks are well maintained, improved, and open. The Vashon community now has local control of our parks and our money. In partnership with the schools we've built playing fields and playgrounds. Volunteer islanders have helped create sports facilities and exciting arts and outdoor programs...all sponsored by the Park District. From kayaking to soccer, from dance to Tai Kwan Do, from beach walks to preserving open space for the future...with only our small maintenance and operations levy we've done it all.

We are the Park District, all of us. If we fail to fund ourselves now NO ONE ELSE will. Not King County. Not the State. It's up to us to keep what we have. Vote YES!

Statement against

NO STATEMENT SUBMITTED.

STATEMENT PREPARED BY: Truman O'Brien, Lisa Elliot,
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